

Table 1

Comparison of 1980 Division of Facility Services Data to
1980 Hospital Discharge Data, Patients in 132 N.C. General Hospitals
(Normal Newborns Excluded)

	<u>DFS</u>	<u>Discharge Data</u>
Total Patients	884,153	880,571
Age 0-13 (with %)	80,642 (9.1)	77,652 (8.8)
Age 14-64 (with %)	590,829 (66.8)	586,833 (66.6)
Age 65+ (with %)	212,682 (24.1)	216,086 (24.5)
Discharged Dead (with %)	23,113 (2.6)	24,494 (2.8)

Table 2

Comparison of 1980 Hospital Discharge Data
to October 1978 Discharge Data, 132 N.C. General Hospitals
(Normal Newborns Excluded)

	<u>Percent of Patients</u>	
	<u>October 1978</u>	<u>1980</u>
Female	61.3	60.4
White	77.8	77.9
Black	19.0	19.2
Other Nonwhite	0.9	0.9
Race Not Reported	2.3	2.0
Discharged Dead	2.6	2.8
Expected Principal Payment Source		
Medicare	24.0	28.1
Medicaid	6.2	6.5
Other Government	2.7	2.3
Workmen's Compensation	1.3	1.2
Blue Cross	22.5	22.7
Commercial Insurance	30.2	29.8
Self Pay	8.7	7.6
Other	4.4	1.8